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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Title

Transgenic plants carrying neoxanthin cleavage enzyme gene

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Serial No. 09/758,269

Filed: January 12, 2001

For: TRANSGENIC PLANTS CARRYING NEOXANTHIN
CLEAVAGE ENZYME GENE



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June 27, 2001

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Enclosed is a copy of the Filing Receipt for the above-identified application which incorrectly states the foreign application number as 20001/003476. It should read 2001/003476. The correction is shown in yellow highlight on the attached copy of the filing receipt. Please note your records accordingly. Correction of same is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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The attached completes filing of the above-identified patent application:

- ☒ Signed Rule 63 Declaration alone, ☐ Copy of Declaration from prior application alone, OR
☐ Signed Declaration plus attached copy of originally filed specification/drawings.
☒ **NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED** form.
☒ Record the attached assignment and return to the undersigned.
☐ Attached is a Power of Attorney.
☒ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications:

Application Number

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Day/Month/Year Filed

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13 January 2000

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- ☒ Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached.
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If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$270.00 (ignore improper)					\$	0.00
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